**COMPASSION HOUSE** 

# WEST LITTLE ROCK ROTARY

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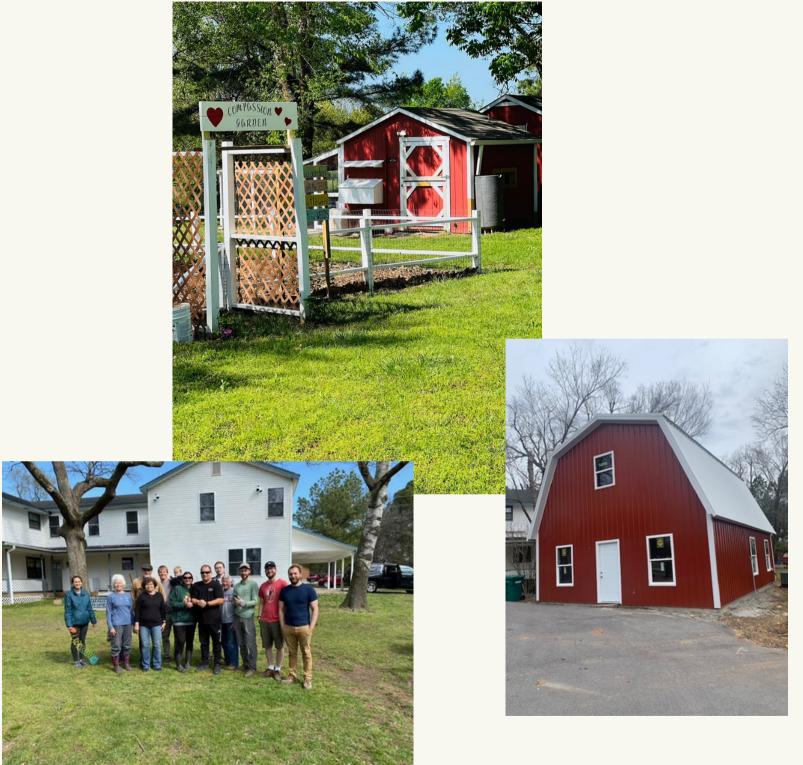


### Who are we?

WE ARE A 501C3 NONPROFIT HOME FOR PREGNANT TEENS AND THEIR BABIES IN SPRINGDALE, AR. WE OFFER EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES, FINANCIAL LITERACY RESOURCES, PARENTING CLASSES, NUTRITION AND OTHER LIFE SKILL CLASSES TO DEVELOP PRODUCTIVE MOMS. ALL OF OUR SERVICES ARE FREE OF CHARGE TO THE RESIDENTS WE SERVE. OUR MISSION IS TO BREAK THE CYCLE OF POVERTY AND GENERATIONAL CHAINS THESE GIRLS ARE FACING.

### **Compassion House -**Who We Are

OUR MATERNITY HOME CAN HOUSE UP TO 6 GIRLS AND THEIR BABIES AT ONE TIME. OUR CAMPUS IS LOCATED ON 1.5 ACRES ON OUR CAMPUS, WE HAVE THE HOUSE, OFFICES, BARN, GARDEN, CHICKENS, & BEES FOR HONEY.



### What We're Working On

#### GARDEN

The 2,500 sq ft garden is still growing. We created a fence around it and irrigation system. We have partnered with local gardens to donate trees and seeds to our program. In the late summer/fall we will begin harvesting. We have a greenhouse now established to grow off-season. The goal is to enhance residents nutrition by cooking with our own vegetables lowering food costs as well as creating partnerships with other local non-profits with our excess.

#### BABY BARN

The barn is a boutique style shop for the girls to use their "Compassion Cash" on items that have been donated. The barn also houses 2 HIPPA compliant offices. Fall of 2022 we will be opening the barn up to other nonprofits in need as well as local high school teen mom clubs.

#### CHICKENS/BEES

We have a chicken coop and chickens for fresh eggs. We received bees from the Beekeepers Association and have a mentor to train us on obtaining our own honey.



### **Program & Services Offered**

#### BIRTHING & PARENTING CLASSES

### GARDEN & HOMESTEAD SKILLS

#### ACTIVITIES OFF CAMPUS

BUDGETING & FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE CLASSES

CASE MANAGEMENT

NUTRITION MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS (DENTIST, FAMILY DR., PRENANTAL, ETC.)









### GROUP SPONSORED DINNERS MENTORING

## SUBSTANCE ABUSE CLASSES COOKING & KITCHEN SKILLS

COUNSELING/THERAPY



### Who do we serve?

WE RECEIVE RESIDENTS FROM ALL OVER THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AS WELL AS OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS. CURRENTLY WE HAVE A FULL HOUSE WITH A WAITING LIST. OUR RESIDENTS ARE REFERRED TO US THROUGH THE JUVENILLE COURT SYSTEM, DHS, SCHOOL COUNSELORS, CHURCHES AND SOCIAL MEDA.

ARKANSAS IS CURRENTLY RANKED #1 IN TEEN PREGNANCY. WE ARE THE ONLY FACILITY OF OUR KIND IN OUR STATE. WE OPERATE 100% ON OUR COMMUNITY CORPORATE DONORS, GRANTS, AND INDIVIDUAL DONATIONS.





### How can you help?

#### **FINANCIAL**

#### WE ACCEPT FINANCIAL DONATIONS THROUGH OUR WEBSITE AS WELL AS BY MAIL. WE ALSO ACCEPT HOUSEHOLD ITEMS SUCH AS GROCERIES, TRASH BAGS, LIGHT BULBS, TOILET PAPER, ETC. CORPORATE SPONSORSHIPS AND DONATIONS FOR ANNUAL GALA

#### TIME

WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS! OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE: LABOR COACHES, MENTORS, GROUP DINNERS, BIBLE STUDY, LIFE SKILL CLASSES, BABY CUDDLERS

#### **AWARENESS**

HELP TO RAISE AWARENESS IN YOUR COMMUNITY BY LIKING OUR FACEBOOK PAGE INVITE US TO SPEAK ASK YOUR CHURCH OR SOCIAL CLUB TO VOLUNTEER OR HELP IN SOME WAY









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### **THANK YOU!**

### LIFE CHANGE HAPPENS ONE STEP AT A TIME.

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